



**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**In re Application of:**

Sandhu et al.

**Serial No.:** 10/637,102

**Filed:** August 8, 2003

**For:** LOW RESISTANCE CONTACT TO  
SILICON HAVING A TITANIUM SILICIDE  
INTERFACE AND AN AMORPHOUS  
TITANIUM CARBONITRIDE BARRIER  
LAYER

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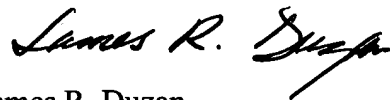
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Also enclosed are Amendment Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.312(a); and Fee Addressee for Receipt of PTO Notices Relating to Maintenance Fees.

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